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## By Telegraph

3.00 O'CLOCK.

## IN OLD KENTUCK.

That's Where the Democrats are Fighting Today and Cheering Free Silver.

## STATE CONVENTION WORK.

## W.C.P. BRECKINRIDGE MAKES HIS LAST SPEECH. GOLD MEN WERE TURNED DOWN AND OUT.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

LEXINGTON, Ky., June 4.—The Democratic State convention assembled at 9:30 o'clock. It was after 10:30 o'clock before the committee on credentials, which was in session all night, reported.

Senator Blackburn received a rousing ovation on entering the hall.

The permanent organization committee reported a complete organization of county committees as well as the state organization, silver men being in charge in all these.

Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge, after being repeatedly called for, had the distinction of being the only gold-standard man to address the convention, except Chairman Long. In what was called his farewell address, Breckinridge was given close attention, although he told the convention that the silver victory was due to distress and discontent and the results would be only temporary.

A long discussion ensued on that portion of the majority credentials report, which favored the seating of the "gold delegates" from Louisville. The last effort of the Louisville delegates was to demand a call of counties. The majority report was adopted 678 to 214 and the Louisville delegates retired. This was the vote which showed the silver men's real strength.

Mr. C. K. Wheeler of Paducah was then introduced as permanent chairman.

Another fight was precipitated by a resolution complimenting Senator Goebel who is a neighbor of Carlisle's and a gold standard man. He opposed Blackburn until he secured the caucus nomination and thereafter stood by him to the last. The object of the resolution was to give expression for Goebel as against "gold standard" members of the legislature who did not support Blackburn after he had the caucus nomination.

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## SUBURBAN NEWS.

Happenings of Interest in Our Neighbor Towns.

Conductor Robert Gilmore Sustains Injuries by Falling From a Car--An Eloquent Preacher to Speak at the Open Air Celebration on the Grounds of St. Charles Parsonage Sunday--Evidence of Zylonite Prosperity--Preparing the Forest Park Bicycle Track--Minor Local Items.

## AT ADAMS TODAY.

## APPEARANCE OF ZYLONITE.

The Residents are Busy Improving Their Property.

The appearance of desolation so visible at Zylonite a year ago has so completely hidden itself that even no traces of it are left. The property which was bound to come and did come so suddenly made a remarkable change in the people as well as the little village itself. Buildings are being painted, lawns laid out and improvements of every imaginable kind made. The Zylonite hotel, which was painted presents an imposing appearance in its new coat of yellow and white paint. James Ferguson's store has been put into excellent shape inside and the building is now in the hands of the painters. The Renfrew company's brick block which for years has worn a look of dilapidation has been placed in good shape and will be ready for tenants in a few days. Other improvements not yet started have been started upon.

Then, too, the many workmen in and about the mill grounds offer a suggestion of the coming prosperity and thrift.

Conductor Gilmore Injured.

Conductor Robert Gilmore of the Hoosac Valley street railway fell from his car at Zylonite Wednesday night and received some severe injuries to his arm and knee. It was one of the new open cars and the boards along the side are much narrower than those on the old ones and consequently they are more difficult for the conductors to work upon. Mr. Gilmore made a mistake and fell to the ground with great force. He is confined to his home and will be for some days. William Bradshaw is working in his place on the road.

## An Eloquent Preacher.

The sermon at the open air celebration of the feast of the Corpus Christi on the grounds about St. Charles' parsonage Sunday afternoon will be preached by Rev. Fr. Charles C. Jones, S. J., a professor at Holy Cross College in Worcester. Father Jones is a very eloquent preacher and will probably deliver a sermon at the mass in St. Charles' church the same morning. After the service on the grounds there will be services in the church.

## Getting The Track Into Shape.

Workmen are engaged at Forest Park watering and rolling the excellent cinder quarter-mile bicycle track which will be far the best in this section when it is completed. Four horses are employed in the work. Many wheelmen are taking advantage of the track to see what they can do in the line of fast riding.

Mrs. A. M. Bailey entertained the Thursday afternoon reading club at her home on Cranford street this afternoon. The club will not meet again until fall. The program this afternoon was as follows: Roll call; essay on Wordsworth, Mrs. S. M. Sturtevant; reading from Chautauqua, Miss Florence Bissell; current events in literature, Mrs. C. T. Sayles.

The barber shop under Zylonite hotel has been opened by Amos St. John.

There will be confessions at St. Charles' church this afternoon; masses at 4:15 and 7:30 o'clock Friday morning and service Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. At Notre Dame church there will be a service at 7:30 o'clock this evening and every evening this week.

The police station committee will meet at Judge Bixby's office this evening and make out their final report.

Several large slabs of brown marble have been received at Dr. Thomas Riley's drug store and placed on the soda table. H. J. Bishop went to Mattawan, N. Y. Wednesday.

David Van Slyck of Cooperstown, N. Y., has been the guest of his son, J. Van Slyck at Rensselaer, has returned home.

Fred E. Bushell and William Sime have been appointed lance corporals of Company M to take charge of squads during camp.

Mrs. Bushell and daughter of Brooklyn, N. Y., are at Zealous Wool's summer boarding house on Maple street.

George Lavallie of Philadelphia, Pa., is spending his vacation with Mrs. J. T. Dupre of Harmony street.

Dr. A. K. Brown who has been appointed examiner of the newly organized workingmen's Sick and Death Benefit association is examining applicants for membership every evening and another meeting will be held Sunday morning at Koehler's Turn hall.

"The Mode," shoe store in Jones' block will be open and the proprietor, J. E. Casey, invites the public to be present at the orchestra concert this evening.

The St. Jea Baptist society will hold its regular monthly meeting this evening.

A horse fastened to a telegraph pole on Dean street by a rope hulier, early Wednesday evening, began struggling to free himself and after wrenching and pulling at the rope for several minutes, fell and came very near to demolishing the buggy to which he was attached. When loosened the animal stood quietly never making an effort to move.

The big Zylonite reservoir has been started in the rear of the church.

Rev. Fr. M. J. Coyne was in Worcester Wednesday on business.

## CHESHIRE.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin on Monday.

Ora Royce and family of Shelburne are at John Gray's.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was combed with Neuralgia, and Rheumatism is Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite ill away, and he was terribly reduced in eat and strength. Three bottles of electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklin's Sarsaparilla, and his leg is sound and well.

John G. Cawley, O., had five large sores on his leg; doctor said he was septic. One bottle of Electric Bitters and one box Bucklin's Sarsaparilla cured him entirely. Sold at Burlingame & Darby's drug store.

Mrs. B. O'Hara of Boston is stopping at her father's for a week.

W. H. Lewis, wife and daughter from Berlin, N. Y., were in town Tuesday as guests of Rev. M. Bissell.

## WILLIAMSTOWN.

The French society held a fair in Houghton's hall Wednesday evening to be continued tonight. The admission is ten cents and the proceeds go to the church society.

The Grange will have a strawberry festival in their hall Friday evening. The admission will be 25 cents.

Miss Margaret Evans, who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Evans, of Water street, returned today.

Mrs. Stearns of Westfield is the guest of Mrs. Thomas Moore.

At the missionary meeting held in the Congregational church Wednesday afternoon, a missionary, recently returned from Japan, spoke most interestingly of the work conducted there.

Mrs. A. W. Wild is visiting her son, Professor H. D. Wild.

Mrs. I. B. Houghton spent Wednesday in North Adams.

The Williams nine with substitutes left this morning for Hanover where they will play Dartmouth Friday and Saturday.

At the freshman prize speaking contest Wednesday night J. M. Hills took first prize and C. F. Whelan took second prize.

Williams won the game from Trinity Wednesday on Weston field by the score 9 to 4.

## BLACKINTON.

Mrs. Kate Drysdale of Peaceable, R. I., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Eadie for a few days.

William J. Mackey of the Hartford baseball club was in town a few days this week nursing a very sore leg. He returned Wednesday morning.

A. E. Hopkins has broken ground for the Hannan residence on Main street. Work is to be pushed as rapidly as possible.

While watching the Williams' 99-Drury ball game yesterday, Frank Ashton was struck by a foul ball and his elbow was dislocated. Dr. Galvin attended him.

The strawberry festival held by the Y. P. S. C. E. on the church lawn was a grand success financially as well as socially. About \$5 was netted and handed over to the church fund.

Superintendent Oaks, with most of his teachers, attended the teachers' institute at Charlemont and report a splendid treat of intellectual things. Mr. Oaks takes a live interest in our schools and is bound to spare no pains to make them what they should be. He is the right man in the right place.

## SEARSBURG.

Rev. A. A. Smith of Wilmington preached an able discourse at schoolhouse No. 3 a week ago last Saturday. He was to come again last Saturday, but owing to the stormy appearance of the weather early in the afternoon, postponed his coming till next Saturday.

Clifford Barrington of New York has been having a two week's vacation at his Green Mountain home.

Henry Sumner is home from Stamford, Conn., for a two week's vacation.

Miss Clara Gleason spent Sunday in town and Union Sunday school enjoyed over Sunday.

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Miss Alta Jewell invited a few of her brother's friends to help her celebrate her birthday May 23. Of course they had a jolly time.

A new row boat bought by the Shelburne Falls bicycle club was taken up from the station and put on the lake last Friday by the Gillett boys.

Oro Parker was married at L. C. Howard's by Rev. Mr. Buffum last Thursday morning. They took the early train south.

At last by much blasting and digging and removing large stones there is a ditch by the grist mill where it has been so long needed. The ice that covered the roads on account of the lack of it made it dangerous passing.

Myron Bickford gave a very enjoyable musical at his home to a small party of friends last Monday night.

All who attended the Memorial exercises at Jacksonville speak very highly of them. The concert given by the Readboro band after the exercises was much enjoyed and made all wish they had heard them all day.

The heavy loads of logs that are being drawn from the top of the hill to Davis Mine have cut up the roads badly.

Last Friday night's dance was not as well attended as some have been. The hall was about half full.

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Miss Jennie Bond has the first set of the game of printer ever made. Designing a set for the use of her small scholars and the regular sets not being yet ready, she purchased of the author his experimental set. This game when ready, will be far better for practical school use, aside from its value as an educational game for amusement than any other letter and figure combination, as each letter figure and character is in a separate compartment, just as they are found in a regular printer's case.

The local option policy of the Vermont government, is well illustrated in the recent case of the State vs. Leray, for selling unwholesome beef, brought before the municipal court at Bennington, and dismissed without defense, on the ground that such selling was allowable under the common custom of this region. Our people think, however, that a judge who depends on local sentiment instead of law should be better acquainted with his field.

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The list of subjects will be given later and they will be read at an entertainment to be given next term.

What is the W. T. C. U. of Bennington saying to the officers who so neglected duty at the state line raid?

Memorial exercises were duly held in all the schools as prescribed by law.

Mrs. Morton entertained a large party of relatives who came up from Turners Falls last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hosley of Brattleboro visited at Windham Whitneys recently.

Miss Charlotte Adams, teacher in district No. 9, attended teachers' institute at Wilmington Monday and Tuesday.

Fred Chase and John Ewen have gone to work on the farm at the Brattleboro Retreat.

Frank Stockwell of Brattleboro is driving a team for W. R. Warren.

Halifax has a full share of "Soldier Dead" whose memory is honored on Decoration day. In the village cemetery are the graves of ten soldiers of the late war, two of the war of 1812 and one of the Revolutionary war.

Mr. Snow of Williamsville was at Mr. Morton's mill last week getting out ash for baskets for Mr. Morrisfield of Williamsville.

Charles P. Clark post G. A. R., attended the Baptist church Sunday and listened to an interesting Memorial sermon by Rev. Mr. Vail of the Center church.

A large crowd attended the Decoration day exercises on Saturday. The Universalist church was tastefully trimmed with laurel and a bank of flowers in front of the desk. The children's part in the exercises came first and the little ones acquitted themselves finely in their speaking and singing. Rev. C. O. Day of Brattleboro gave the address which was an appropriate and eloquent one. Singing by the choir and selections by the Readboro City band furnished music for the occasion. After the exercises at the church the procession was formed and marched to the cemetery where the soldier's graves were decorated with the usual exercises. After dinner, furnished by ladies at the Village hall, floats were sent to cemeteries throughout town to decorate the graves of all soldiers.

Dean at Pownal Centre returned to her home in North Adams Monday.

A flag-pole gift of Marcus J. Burroughs was drawn here Monday. It will be placed inside of our public school grounds and on July 4 a beautiful American banner will be hoisted with appropriate ceremonies.

Warren Barber of Methuen, Mass., is spending a few days with his parents here. His wife and child are with him.

Miss Lizzie Hailey who has been visiting her aunt in North Adams returned home Monday.

Mr. Cudworth and wife of Blackinton are visiting Samuel Wright.

The dinner which Landlord Pratt of the Pownal house served Sunday to his guests was a great credit to the house.

There were about 40 there to dinner, which is a large number for a small place.

## CLARKSBURG.

Last Sabbath closed the labors of Dr. A. W. Lane, who for the past six months has preached at the white school house every Sunday afternoon. During his labors here a good congregation has been present and a good degree of interest manifested.

He will long be remembered for the Master, and leaves behind him a host of friends who wish him God-speed where'er he goes.

Our schools are in a condition of which we may well be proud. We have an efficient corps of teachers whose labors promise much for the future welfare of their respective schools.

Our main highway, which has been worked under the efficient management of Commissioner Charles D. Stevens, is now in an excellent condition considering the amount of work done for the money expended.

This is a stretch of road from the town line below Briggsville to the State line at Stamford, Vt., over which there is a vast amount of heavy teaming.

Since 1880, at which time much of the road was lower than the ditches, Mr. Stevens has at different times had the supervision of this line, and has raised nearly every rod of the road so that at the present time no portion of the road is below the ditches. The condition of the road for bicyclists is excellent, and many are improving the opportunity by cycling and driving through our pleasant valley to and from the hills of the Green Mountain state. Much credit is due Mr. Stevens and his faithful help for this pleasant condition of things, and will be highly appreciated by the traveling public generally.

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